

Chamber Banquet At Country Club A Big Success

Phil O'Connell Speaks on Americanism, Showing our National Leadership

The first round up rally and gathering held under the auspices of the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce at the Country Club, on Friday night, proved to be a most pleasing affair in all its phases. The attendance was a bit disappointing, but some 60 guests seated themselves around the tables, after having filled their plates with the delicious viands which Mr. and Mrs. Phil and Ruth Mills, had delectably prepared for the banquet, which was served cafeteria style, and there were no barriers against second helpings.

The menu read as follows: Porcupine Meat balls from Prime Everglades beef and rice. Beans, provided by W. H. Vann of Pahokee. Potatoes, American Fruit Growers and Pioneer Growers. Celery, Wedgworth's and Dada's.

Radishes, Harold Rabin and Bill Graber. Lettuce, Price and Murphy. Escarole, Kruse Brothers. Oranges, rice and sugar, state program.

The tables were artistically decorated with formations of lettuce, escarole, radishes and grapefruit, and some floral bouquets.

At the speaker's table was Master of Ceremonies, Tom Watson, Jr., Phil O'Connell, guest speaker; Tom Watson, ex-attorney general; Carl Anthony, president of the West Palm Beach Chamber of Commerce; Junius Harris, Mayor of Belle Glade, and President Henry O. Ewald, of the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce.

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Elks Observe Lodge Of Sorrow For Wm. J. Buck

Belle Glade Lodge of Elks, at Monday night, conducted a Lodge of Sorrow ceremony in honor of its first Chaplain, Dr. William John Buck, with Past Exalted Ruler, A. E. Kirkman presiding. In a beautiful worded tribute Walter Hooker speaking of the life of the deceased, who for twenty years had been active in the various functions and activities of the Glades area. This service touched the heart of every member of the order, especially when the chimes tolled the eleven strokes, well known in meaning to all Elks.

On Thursday night of this week, a large number of local Elks attended the big dining hall at Pahokee lodge, at which the President of the Florida Elks lodge was the honored guest speaker. Arrangements for the evening being made for a delegation to attend Fort Pierce lodge on the night of February 1, at which time Supreme Court Judge Alto Adams is to the honored guest.

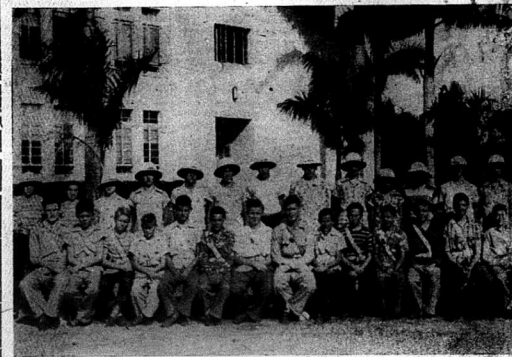
The January class initiation was observed when John Hooker, Charles Goodlett and Leland Pierce formed the trio of candidates, who were accepted and accepted the obligation of the order. The staff presented the exemplification in a commendable and much to the credit of the order. Frank O'Connell, vice-president of the Florida Elks Association, gave a powerful address in speaking to the new candidates. He is always a welcome guest in any Elks lodge.

Preliminary work has been completed for the organization of a new Elks lodge at Delray, and a charter will soon be issued by the National headquarters, of St. Louis, Mo. Funeral services were held at the Port Mayaca cemetery, Saturday, by Rev. C. T. Howes.

Mrs. Ethel R. McBroome Dies at Home After Short Illness

Mrs. Ethel Reese McBroome, who has made her home with her niece Miss Lestha Reese, died at the Belle Glade Hotel, Saturday morning, after a short illness.

The deceased is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Clara Morrison of Arkansas, and Mrs. Maud Conover, of St. Louis, Mo. Funeral services were held at the Port Mayaca cemetery, Saturday, by Rev. C. T. Howes.



BELLE GLADE SCHOOL SAFETY PATROL

Front row, left to right: Joe Leavitt, Lavon Bass, Ralph Prescott, John Scott, Albert Crews, Mac Lynn, Lieut. Bill Aspey, Lieut. Henry Fears, Capt. Adrienne, Lieut. Chas. DeViv, Donnie Annan, Bobby Wright, Barry Bessent, Sammie Burns. Back row, left to right: Ray Prescott, Alan Alford, John Schlechter, Lamar Hunt, J. T. Lamb, John Price, Jim Reaser, Ronnie Cameron, Bobby Hooker, Bob Kent, Kenneth Kirkman, Ronald Jones, and Charles Tyson.

Local Savings Bank Re-elects Its Old Officer Corps

At the annual stockholders meeting of the Riverside Savings and Loan Company, on Wednesday, the same officers which have been serving for some years past, were re-elected, namely, President, C. E. Riedel; vice-presidents, A. E. Kirkman and Walter Hooker; secretary and treasurer, Hugh J. Bratley.

It was with much pleasure and elation that Mr. Bratley presented his annual report, owing to the great achievements of the past six months and year. The savings had been up \$431,000.27, a 30 percent increase; that the average deposits for the past six months had been in excess of \$4,000 and with drawings of \$40,000; that earnings had been \$94,918; and operating expenses a bit over \$20,000; and \$41,214.84 had been distributed on dividends. Mortgage refinancing amounted to \$157.

Women's Club Day Nursery Project

An interesting program was presented before the Women's Club meeting Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. William Thibaud introduced Clyde Trimble, West Palm Beach attorney, who spoke on "Citizenship." Dr. W. T. Forsee sang Kipling's "Recessional" accompanied by a five-minute piano by Z. T. Ingram, and Mrs. I. E. Enlow gave a religious reading on David.

During the business session Mrs. L. I. Price gave a report on the hospital investigation conducted by Mrs. H. O. Ewald reported on the nursery board meeting. She introduced Miss Hazel Trimble, R. N., Decola Camp who stated the needs of the nursery, and the Club voted to adopt this project for the year.

Hostesses were Mrs. E. M. VanLandingham, Mrs. H. V. Draz, Mrs. Harold Rabin, Mrs. Ingram, and Miss Alma Murphy.

U.N.E.S.C.O. is Topic Of Watkins Speech

Mr. Howell Watkins, county superintendent of public instruction, was the guest speaker at a joint meeting of the palm Beach County chapter of the Association for Childhood Education and the Palm Beach County Classroom Teachers Association on Saturday afternoon.

In his talk outlining the history and policies of UNESCO, Watkins pointed out the importance of schools in working for world peace.

The program arrangements were conducted by Mrs. M. J. Harty, South Bay, A. C. E. U. NECO chairman; Miss Alma Murphy, A. C. E. music chairman; and Mrs. P. C. McKenna, C. T. A. program chairman. Miss Murphy presented the High School Glee Club in several numbers.

Newest Chevrolet Model On Display Coming Saturday

Belle Glade will be represented at the three day national school safety patrol convention being held in Washington, D.C. in May, by boys from our own patrol. Records are kept on efficiency merits from daily duty, and three boys will be selected to make the trip by their records.

Excellent work is being accomplished by these boys who have been organized last year with 16 members. Today there are 28 boys in the group, and they amazed their parents and friends recently by their knowledge of traffic safety rules when they appeared in a quiz before a Parent Teacher Association meeting.

The Junior Police group at the Belle Glade High school is going to be given a type of work that some of the other schools of the county will not obtain. With full consent and approval of Chief Constable Goddard, Officer L. S. Funk, finger print expert of the police department, will start a ten week course in Finger Print Identification Work. The new class will start on January 26th, and will meet on Wednesday nights from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock.

The boys who show the most aptitude and proficiency in this very popular type of police work, will be given special attention and instruction in advanced class work.

Prices Jump On Florida Products In North Markets

For the commodities that are now shippable out of the Glades farming area, good and satisfactory prices prevailed, although there was a bit of a slump in the celery market. Celery cutters in the celery market, in good volume. The leaf products also were in good demand, and the potatoes available, found a ready market.

What beans were available from the Florida growers were bringing in from \$5.00 to \$6.00 the hamper on the Chicago, Cleveland and New York markets, but mostly at the first named figure.

J. W. Strickland, of the Production and Marketing Department, calls attention to potato growers who have not already been given a 1949 goal, that they should file applications before February 1st, so that they be included in the price (Continued on Page 2)

ELKS TO PLAY GOLF TOURNAMENT HERE

Chairman Bob Mueller is a-buzzing around and around getting ready for approximately 100 visiting golfers from Elks clubs in Southeast Florida.

The play begins strictly at 10 o'clock with a four-tee time for six minutes. The Elks Club is sending a team of four with other golfing members being allowed to play in foursomes with club members other than home.

Aside from the regular tournament prizes, longest drive in one and nearest to hole on seven will receive a prize. Participants will be fed at the Country Club, buffet style Sunday night about seven thirty.

COMMITTEE ASKS COOPERATION AND HELP FOR HOSPITAL

Local members of the Hospital Board asked five civic clubs to appoint a representative to meet with the Board and consider the operation of the Institution.

This Committee met with the Board and the Administrative Officer as requested in the invitation and comes forth with the following resolution which is being submitted to their respective organizations this week on petition of former employees was officially contacted. The request contained in the latter part of the next-to-last paragraph about local interest if practiced heretofore, in all likelihood would have prevented any disturbance about the hospital, and will certainly strengthen the likelihood of future satisfactory operation.

WHEREAS This Committee has been requested to conduct an objective investigation of the operation of the Belle Glade Hospital and to report to the citizens of this community its findings, and WHEREAS This Committee has met this night with the Board of Directors, with Ernest H. Fiedler, Hospital Superintendent, examined hospital records, the 1949 Chevrolet trunk inquires concerning both general and personal complaints made either publicly or privately.

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Jack O. Johnson To Address Masons On Tuesday Night

Worshipful Master L. E. Will, of Belle Glade lodge, No. 273, P. M. A. M., states that a regular communication on the coming Tuesday night, Judge Jack O. Johnson, will make an address on the subject of "The Masonic Ideal." Examinations will also be on the program.

Given Judgment on a Default Bond Suit

In Circuit court in West Palm Beach, Monday, Judge Joseph White gave an order of default judgment in a suit against Wedgworth, of Belle Glade, against the Highlands Glades Drainage District, for \$500,000. The suit was filed over a year ago, Mrs. Wedgworth seeking damages, because the district did not meet its obligation to hold by the Wedgworth estate.

Lake Okeechobee Fishing Quarrel Breaks Out Again

After a nine month period of peace, feeling has again broke out between the State Game and Fresh Water Commission and the six special commercial fishing crews, which have been working on the year's survey of fishing and fish, life in big Lake Okeechobee. As a result the permits of five of the crews have been suspended, and one other likely to be treated in the same manner.

This work was being conducted on the plan that the Commercial fisherman could maintain all fish netted by the crews, except game fish; which could be sold to aid with their pay. On the other hand the state was permitted to keep any game fish as they needed for their experiments and for propagation purposes. Without notice, according to the Commission, the fisherman struck, and objected to any game fish being kept by the state observers for any reason, so long as they themselves were not permitted to take and possess such game fish.

The only explanation made by the Commercial men was that they did not dare continue on the program, for fear of having their equipment damaged and burned by others who were not permitted to fish.

A hearing between the fighting factions was held in Okeechobee on Wednesday, to attempt to end the present situation, so that the survey might be completed.

The Game Commission met in Tallahassee, this week, for reorganization purposes, and Louis G. Morris, of Monticello, was elected as chairman, succeeding J. W. Corbett, of Ft. Pierce.

This is the second time during his membership on the board that Morris has acted as chairman. Larry Rogers, of Kissimmee, the only Warren appointee, was named as the Commission, took part as a member of the body.

Dr. W. J. Buck Taken Suddenly By Heart Attack

Outstanding Pioneer, Soldier Doctor, and Community Worker

(By Luther Jones)

All pioneer communities have produced outstanding characters but Belle Glade has had as a First Citizen for twenty years one not easily recalled in "Firsts"—Dr. William J. Buck, soldier, Doctor of Medicine, Doctor of Human Relations, administrator, executive, community worker and Friend of Man.

Doc passed away sitting in his car Thursday night while his wife was making the family adieu and thanks for an enjoyable dinner with friends.

In the spring of '28 Doctor William J. Buck moved to the Glades to practice, having come from West Palm Beach where he had practiced for a while after several years with the State Department of Health. Nature and the vicissitudes of pioneering early tried Doc's staying qualities for there were no paved roads except "cut" and "in"—none "around"—and folks got sick without respect to night or day, and most lived in "hard-to-get-to" places. Not far from the southeast end of the Lake, Doc Buck's FIRSTS followed naturally and continuously in a community demanding and exacting of one to maintain "firsts".

Just naturally, Doc's "firsts" came to him thru willingness to accept responsibility and executive and administrative ability deeply rutted with humane considerations.

The '28 hurricane carried Doc Buck quickly to the top of the heap of firsts thru his assumption of leadership and the fact of him in a community bewildered thru thousands of drowning and complete destruction of homes and the fact of some of the family are the husband, two sons, Von and Norde Wilson, and one daughter, Arden Wilson, children by a former marriage; a step son and daughter, Vernal and Vera Thomas Ramsey. The Berry Family Home was in charge of arrangements.

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DR. WILLIAM J. BUCK

James Griffin Local Farmer Died Sunday

James Griffin, who came from Clinch County, Ga., some years ago, to engage in farming work around Belle Glade, died at the Belle Glade hospital, on Sunday, aged 74 years. His surviving family are a son, Shimmel, of Belle Glade, with whom he made his home, and Mrs. Martha Gordon, of Alva, Ga.

Funeral services were held at the Community Methodist Church, Tuesday afternoon, with Rev. L. F. Vandewater in charge. Burial was made in the Port Mayaca cemetery, with the Berry Family Home in charge of those arrangements.

Death Claims Mrs. Ruth E. Ramsey

Mrs. Ruth E. Ramsey, aged 39, wife of W. G. Ramsey, a Belle Glade business man, died on Monday afternoon after a short illness. Funeral services and burial was made in the Mt. Peace cemetery at St. Cloud on Wednesday. Surviving members of the family are the husband, two sons, Von and Norde Wilson, and one daughter, Arden Wilson, children by a former marriage; a step son and daughter, Vernal and Vera Thomas Ramsey. The Berry Family Home was in charge of arrangements.

Inauguration Of Dial System For 1670 Phones In The Glades

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Miss Lorelle Thomas, a local senior, will switch the change over. From a start of 30 phones scattered throughout the Glades in 1930, and the installation of 164 in '31 when a million original was installed here, phoning has become popular in the muck lands and floods. To get this additional spending and to assure the Glades of continuous 100 additional.

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Action Urged On State Funds For Flood Control

Widely Attended Meeting of RDB Committee Here

Senator John Beacham, Representatives Elliott and Bollinger, Slack Kirkman, President and Ralph Blank, Mr. respectively of the RDB, led approximately 50 persons to a meeting of the Flood Control Committee of the Tuesday night, at the City Hall.

The discussions were centered around the proposed action of the coming legislature in providing funds for participation by the State in the initial step of the \$200,000 program for Florida.

This initial step anticipates about \$200,000 of which the State is pledged to furnish about \$30,000 and anticipates diverting flood waters originating north and west of the Glades, and the State's substantial funds for creating the conservation or storage areas to the east and south of the Glades.

It was pointed out by Luther Jones, Chairman of the Senate and House, reports from Washington assure that the Federal government will provide its share of the money as fast as the Engineers can use it and it only remains for "local interests"—the State of Florida—to make a available its share.

The County legislative delegation reported on its progress in rounding up members of the Senate and House and activities of the incumbent administration in Tallahassee. Everybody is "in" the plan, it is believed, contributing information to be done within the State to make this truly an all Florida program.

Chairman Stacey Rogers of the Everglades District and his fellow commissioner, Daniels, K. Lewis, contributing information and discussions towards a favorable consummation of the plan.

Lamar Johnson gave briefly the outline of the progress of the plan to date, with Turner Wallis, R. Y. Patterson, Marshall DeWitt of Delray, and R. K. Lewis contributing information and discussions towards a favorable consummation of the plan.

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OBSERVATION and Comment By John M. Gledhill

No person who has resided in Belle Glade as long as did Dr. William J. Buck, administering to the ills and woes of common humanity in a mental and surgical manner, could fail to make a deep impression upon the citizenship and the city in which he resided. General regret was present all over the Glades area, when the news came on last Friday morning, that the genial, generous and likeable doctor had succumbed to a sudden heart attack while seated in his parked automobile.

For many years he was the medical and health man of the Belle Glade area, and thousands have received his skilled and competent service as a physician and surgeon. Health was his hobby and as a trained medical man he promoted public sentiment and helped to make things clean, sanitary and healthy for the citizenship. His attitude on the police situation was vigorous and outspoken and his insistence that we have "dusting" no doubt saved many people from being stricken with this most obnoxious disease. As the city's health officer or advisor, he was Glades' kept

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A SOUTHERN DAIRIES WORTHY PROJECT.
(By Edgar Pennington Young)
We live in a time when the tendency is to bite the hand that feeds us.

The Political philosophy of the hour is to belittle and belvedere vested interests.

It has become almost popular to look with scorn upon the Employer.

In such an hour it is my privilege to call attention to a most worthy project now under way by Southern Dairies, J. O. Bowen, Southern Dairies has become a Benefactor.

Over in Western Florida there is a Town called Marianna. The Farmers in this vicinity devote themselves largely to Peanuts and Hogs. They do little else and receive a very low price for what little milk they produce.

Along come Southern Dairies, represented by Mr. Bowen, with an educational campaign through and by which the eyes of the Farmers were opened.

These Farmers were shown that if they would operate small dairies, with an average herd of about 15 cows,—that it would be easily possible to market their crops through Milk and grow their own feed.

When the Educational campaign had proved successful, the Chamber of Commerce and Southern Dairies proceeded with the construction of a Creamery to take all the milk the Farmers produce and then be marketed by Southern Dairies.

By this time the Farmers had become so enthusiastic the Chamber of Commerce readily agreed, at the very first meeting, to advance the required amount for the immediate construction of the building.

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locate Thomas, but he escaped. Sunday Thomas was seen in Belle Glade. Four volunteer "spotters" from Pahokee came down to see if they could locate him. Early Tuesday morning Thomas was "jumped", and hid himself under a house. The City police from Pahokee and Belle Glade, Constables Whitlock and Mock, and deputy sheriff Gross finally brought the fugitive in to custody.

The prisoner was first taken to the city jail, but later under guard to the Pahokee hospital, for treatment for two bad gun wounds in his legs, sustained while he was escaping from the Pahokee police. Thomas will be removed to the county jail as soon as his wounds are healed.

Harry Hurst and "Crabman" Sholtz, colored men, got themselves into trouble when they took escrow from the David son and Padgett farm and sold it for \$75.00. Hurst worked for Padgett and told Sholtz the escrow belonged to him, and he would give him half the profit if he sold it, which he did. Adjustment was made between the parties and no prosecution was pressed.

On Thursday morning, Thomas suddenly died. As his wounds were not considered of a fatal nature, law officials will hold an autopsy to determine the cause of his unexpected death.

Nevelist Offers Free Land for Farming Purposes

Reach, the noted novelist, who resides at Sebring, has announced that he will give some 1500 acres of virgin land which he recently purchased in the Indian town section, free rent, free applicants who want to try their hand at the vegetable production or other type of farming.

PRICE JUMP

(Continued from Page 1) support program of the Federal Department of Agriculture. Indications are that the spring crop of potatoes in Palm Beach County will not exceed a thousand and acres. Changes may lead to this estimated acreage being increased.

The State Chamber of Commerce of Florida and Georgia have entered into a reciprocal agreement for the handling of farm and grow products during the 1949 season. Georgia will plug for Florida produce in its own market, and vice versa.

Both organizations are also planning for a program similar to the one being promoted by the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce, to get local grow products better known within state marketing regions, with better advertising of same. Already a number of the big chain stores have shown a willingness to assist in such a promotional program.

St. Lucie, Indian River and Martin county tomato growers report that their seed beds are coming on fine for the spring crop, and that a willingness will soon be in progress, with an increased acreage over the late fall season.

The citrus situation in Florida is brighter, partly due to the Texas and California freezes. All grades of fruit took an encouraging jump in price and demand in the northern states. The Florida Mutual Citrus Association objectives look more bright against the past ten days, and it looks as if state control measures will soon be in force.

Officers for 1949 Co-Operative Chores

The Board of Directors of the Belle Glade Farmers Co-Op held their annual directors' meeting Tuesday, January 13.

Deal With Us In Our New Curb Market Location

just north of the Hillsboro canal bridge on the Pahokee road.

Here we have a small but modern grocery and meat market, and are specializing in

Fresh Fruits and Everglades Grown Vegetables

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LEGAL NOTICES

CHANCERY NO. 16445 NOTICE TO APPEAR
TO: C. C. MARTIN
In this case, personally or by attorney, appear on the 15th day of February, 1949, at 10:00 A.M. in the Circuit Court in and for Palm Beach County, Florida, to do and defend against the following: EDWARD BECKWITH, Defendant, being charged with the crime of Rape, in violation of Chapter 24, Sec. 24-12, of the Florida Statutes, and upon your failure to do so, the Court will be taken.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Court of West Palm Beach, Florida, on this 12th day of January, 1949.

ALEX ANDRETTI
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Social Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kidder and daughter, Dorothy, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Zeinert of Lake Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson had as their guests on Friday, their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson, Sr., of Tampa and Mrs.

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MURPHY'S PHARMACY

William Alton of West Point, Conn.

Mrs. Carl Snodgrass, Miss Jackie Snodgrass, of Miami were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie U. Jones for several days last week.

Mrs. William Schreiber of Cedar Point Naval Base, Patuxent River, Maryland, is visiting her friends here, and with Mrs. Bob Burns in West Palm Beach.

Ira Holt of Pine City, Minn., has arrived for his annual visit with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Max Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor were received into membership

at the Community Methodist Church, Sunday morning by church letters from Pocomah, Va., and Yukon, W. Va. Rev. Leonard Vandewater also conferred the rights of holy baptism upon their infant daughter, Mary Jane Taylor.

Attending the concert presented by the Florida Southern College orchestra in West Palm Beach Tuesday night from this city were Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Taylor and daughter Louise, Mrs. R. W. Kidder and daughter Dorothy, the Misses Margaret and Ruth Walter, Walter Schleich, Jr., and Frederick Stevens. Playing the flute with the group was Robert E. Taylor who is a sophomore at Southern.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Washburn of Grand Rapids, Mich., arrived Monday to spend the winter. They are sister and brother-in-law to Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Springer.

Enjoying a deep sea fishing trip aboard the charter boat owned of Everglades City Sunday were the Misses Betty Jo Bearden, Joanne Livingston, Betty Lou Powell, and Earline Harn of Clewiston, Billy Bearden, Jack Cromarthe, Boyd Kauffman, and J. T. Harrell.

BETA SIGMA PHIS PLAN CEREMONY AND DANCE

"Poise and Charm" was the subject of the program presented at the meeting of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority Thursday evening, by Mrs. Earl Lindrope and Mrs. Paige Choate. Many interesting and instructive points were brought out and illustrated by skits, and the program was followed by a general discussion.

Plans were made for the ritual of a jewels ceremony which will be held at the Country Club of the Everglades on January 27. Immediately following the private ritual, at ten o'clock, the Betas will be joined by their husbands and dates for a formal dance. Music will be furnished by a local orchestra and refreshments served at mid night.

During the business session presided over by Mrs. E. M. Lively, committee reports were given by the various chairmen.

Attending were 26 members.

LOCAL BOY PRESENTED IN MUSICAL RECITAL

James Perdue, of Belle Glade, was one of seven advanced students presented by the Stetson School of Music in a recital Tuesday, January 11. He displayed accuracy and beautiful tone in his performance of "Largo" (Handel) and "Castles in the Air" (Smith). Perdue is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lanier of Belle Glade.

YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE DIKE WEINER ROAST

The Young Peoples Training Union of the First Baptist Church had a weiner roast and out door social affair on the dike near Canal Point Monday evening. Chaperoning the group were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Wilkinson and Mrs. and Mrs. Nash Lloyd.

Attending were 25 young people, and the Rev. and Mrs. I. E. Enlow and Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Baker.

PALM LAKE ASSOCIATION WILL MEET HERE

The W.A.U. of the Palm Lake Association will conduct an all day meeting at the First Baptist Church on Thursday 27th. The session will start at 10:30 a.m. and all churches in the association will be represented.

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NEWS VIEWS

By E. D. DOUG

Despite the walls of calamity, however, the universe than an after-dinner speaker's remarks. The universe is a place of hope and joy. It is a place of love and peace. It is a place of light and life. It is a place of hope and joy. It is a place of love and peace. It is a place of light and life.

It looks as though we'll have a fine day today. The sun is shining and the birds are singing. It is a beautiful day and we should enjoy it. Let us go out and walk in the park. Let us go out and play in the fields. Let us go out and enjoy the beauty of nature.

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sent, Presiding will be Mrs. Guy Moore, president, who is from West Palm Beach.

SUNBEAMS ENJOY AFTERNOON PROGRAM

Twelve little Sunbeams met at the First Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon with their mothers, Mrs. Sam Koenig and Mrs. Harold Johnson. A program was presented and refreshments served to the children.

HOLT-PAVELEC VOWS EXCHANGED

Mrs. Laurie Holt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Gates, became the bride of Charles Frank Pavelec, Jr., on January 15 in Tampa.

The ceremony took place in the garden of the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Garren with the Rev. Joe A. Tolle of the First Methodist Church of Bradenton reading the service. Rev. Tolle is the brother-in-law of the bride.

For her wedding, the bride wore a suit of navy blue with matching accessories. The hat of imported straw was decorated with dusty pink and bronze roses with the under the chin veil attached to the shoulder with a corsage of pink carnations. Her only attendant, Mrs. Frank O. Hobson, wore a sage green suit with brown accessories.

E. V. Garren was bestman and Laurie Gates, Jr., served as usher.

The couple will make their home in Tampa upon their return from the Gulf beaches. Mrs. Pavelec received her education in Tampa, her B. S. degree from Florida Southern College and she also attended Peabody State University, Peabody College, and the University of Wyoming. At present she is a member of the firm and home economist for the Gates Radio Shop in Tampa. She is an accomplished musician and plays the viola with the Tampa Symphony Orchestra, and is a member of Kappa Gamma Tau Sorority.

Mr. Pavelec is assistant manager of the Liggett's Music Co. of Tampa, and is a native of Milwaukee, Austria. He was educated in New York receiving a B. S. degree at Ithaca College, a member of Kappa Gamma Psi, and also plays with the Tampa Symphony Orchestra. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pavelec, Sr., of New York and Palm Beach.

Attending the wedding from here were Mrs. Hobson, Mrs. W. E. McDonnell, and Mrs. Mrs. L. L. Shirley and Mrs. Geo. McLarty of Pahokee.

WARREN CLAN ENJOY LARGE FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Warren, of Belle Glade, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warren, of South Bay, entertained a group of 33 family relatives at a reunion at the Lonnie Warren home, on Sunday, honoring the 57th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tingle, their foster parents, from Philadelphia, Miss., who are visiting here for a sort time.

A big dinner was a feature of the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Tingle are pioneer farm people of their home community, and are now enjoying their Florida vacation.

GARDEN CLUB PRESENTS FLORAL SCHOOL IN FEB.

"Insecticides" was the topic of the program for the Garden Club when they met Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Lonnie Warren in charge.

During the business session, it was pointed out that now the Club is a part of a National Association of Garden Clubs, certain rules and regulations will have to be observed. An important one is, if members misses three consecutive meetings without an excuse, she is automatically dropped from the membership roll.

A report was given by Mrs. C. W. McDonald that a tree has been planted in the city park and will be cared for and used every year for the community Christmas tree. This was done as saving the expense of purchasing and erecting a tree every year.

Plans were made to present a "School of Floral Arrangement" on February 8th, at the Country Club of the Everglades from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. A small admission will be charged and everyone is invited to attend.

The contest was on calendars, and Mrs. Ivan Van Horn took first prize for an attractive vase of the flowers, and Mrs. Luther Jones, second prize.

Refreshments were served by hostesses, Mrs. Van Horn and Mrs. Archie Widden.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas of Lake Harbor, announce the birth of a daughter, Martha Lynn, at Good Samaritan Hospital in West Palm Beach on Saturday, Jan. 15.

A daughter, Jacquelyn Joan, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook on January 8th, at the Belle Glade Hospital.

HELEN JONES' ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Helen, to Warren E. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard W. Thomas of Jacksonville.

Miss Jones is a graduate of Belle Glade High School. She attended Stetson University and is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha local sorority. She is now employed as secretary to George Williams, justice of peace.

Mr. Thomas is from Jacksonville and a graduate of Landon High. He completed his pre-law training at the University of Florida and at present is a member of the senior law class at Stetson University and will graduate in August. He is a member of Phi Kappa Alpha and Delta Theta Phi fraternities. During the war he served in the south Pacific with the 31st Air Force and is a member of the Army Air Force Reserve, and a cadet captain in the Reserve Officers Training Corps.

The wedding date has been set for March 20th.

PIONEER COUPLE CELEBRATE 53RD ANNIVERSARY

Pioneers of the early 1900's in this part of the State are becoming a rarity—a couple celebrating their 53rd wedding anniversary is also subject to congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Miller of West Palm Beach were complimented Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Townsell, 189 Monceux Road by some 150 guests as having reached their 53rd anniversary, of their marriage in Warren, Ohio, by the Rev. George L. Oliver, Methodist minister.

In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Miller, and daughters, Mrs. Townsell, and Mrs. Robert Atkinson. Mrs. Clara M. Gedhill of Belle Glade and Mrs. Dorothy Campbell of West Palm Beach, sisters, and Mrs. Myrtle Bartholomew of Conneaut, sister-in-law of Mrs. Miller, presided at the refreshment table.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neu, accordionist and violinist, Mrs. Atkinson pianist, and Miss Elizabeth Atkinson vocalist, all members of the family joined forces, musically, to add to the spirit and enjoyment of the affair.

Mr. Townsell is now occupying the office his father-in-law held for so many years as City Tax Assessor for West Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jones and Mrs. H. J. Howington of Atlanta and Judge and Mrs. Gedhill were visitors from Belle Glade.

JANE NORRIS FETED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Jane Norris was complimented with a surprise party celebration of her 13th birthday, by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Norris.

Contests and games were played with prizes awarded to Sue Armstrong and Mr. Norris who won the "Shoe Race" and to Jane Webster and Dale Norman winners of the "Sir Walter Raleigh" contest.

Refreshments of cake, ice cream and fruit punch were served to Montine Doolittle, Betty Carter, Norma Roberts, Barbara Gruber, Betty Lou Scarborough, Donna Jean Norris, Irvin McGartarg, Junior Collins, Lynn Norman, Mac Lynn, Jerry Brent and Wayne Bair.

Scout Director

To Speak Here
Everyone interested in Scouting will have an opportunity to hear Mr. Gretchen Kidd, Southern Director of Girl Scouts of Atlanta, Ga., when she will speak here Monday afternoon at 3:30 at the Scout Hut.

Everyone is invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

To the many friends whom I am otherwise unable to contact for their expression of sympathy and lovely flowers, visits to our home, and other kindnesses during the long illness and passing of my husband, J. M. Barron, I will be forever grateful.

MRS. JAMES M. BARRON
1-21-49

Pahokee War Veteran Buried with Honors At Savannah, Ga.

At Hillcrest Memorial Park, in Savannah, Ga., on last Sunday, full military funeral services were held for Lt. Elissa Colmen, of the United States Army, who was killed in action at the Seille river attack in France, on December 22, 1943. The remains were brought home from the U. S. Army cemetery at Limey, France, for final interment.

Young Coleman was a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Coleman, of Pahokee, and was a graduate of the Pahokee High School.

Quick Auto Theft Pickup

On Sunday night, report was made that a car was proceeding toward Pahokee without a tail light and taking more than a

legal share of the road. Pahokee police picked up the offender. Three negroes came into local police headquarters and reported the theft of their Buick car. Coincidentally, the car picked up in Pahokee, proved to be the stolen Buick. Gene Williams, young white man, was held for charges to be placed by the law officers against him. These quick pickup was made possible by the inter-city police communication system.

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Applications for the position of assistant city inspector will now be received at the City Hall, as this position is now open.

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For Business transactions with the Company, Dial 9011.

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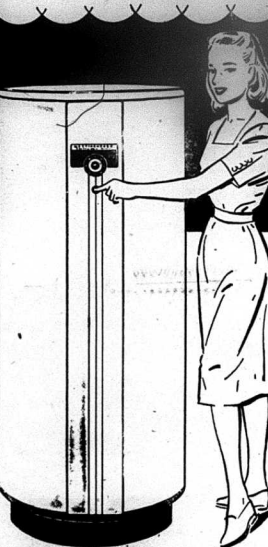
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FOR SALE—A new modernly equipped, two bed room house located North on Avenue F. Lot 100 x 140 feet. Inquire George Scarborough's Department Store, West Avenue A. 11-12-47

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FOR SALE—Good riding gear. Powell Guy, Indian town. 11-18-47

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Meeting every Wednesday, 8:30 p.m. Benevolent Hall. For information phone 623-W. 12-24-47

WANTED—Men who live in Belle Glade to give list of names. Phone 515 in Pahokee. 12-21-47

FOR SALE—1939 Buick sedan, new upholstery throughout, radio, new clutch, cheap. Phone 371 or 455-4. 12-21-47

WANTED—Experienced consignment man. Phone 56, Box 133, Chosen, Fla. 1-7-48

FOR SALE 20 acres of land and a nearly new 2 bedroom house. Just east of city limits on Palm Beach Road. Price reasonable. Call and with terms—see sign on property. C. A. Bailey, Real Estate, phone 70 or 48. 1-7-48

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FOR SALE—5 new 700-15 6 ply Goodyear tires at \$25 each. Phone 539. 1-14-48

FOR RENT—Four room unfurnished house. Phone 22 or 24. 1-14-48

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FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Scarborough block, single or double. Inquire George Scarborough at his Department store. 12-9-47

FEEDER CATTLE for sale. Can furnish in any number at all times, delivered to location at market price. Phone 623-W, Belle Glade, Leland C. Pearce. 9-3-47

MUCH MONEY—And precious time saved marriage candidates by the marriage bureau near the Bank, Belle Glade. 12-3-47

FOR RENT—Unfurnished apartment, reasonable rental. See W. C. Young, Puroil Bulk Station, or phone 539. 11-19-47

FOR RENT—Building suitable for small shop or storage. In rear Pioneer Motor Sales Co. Phone Belle Glade, 10. 12-17-47

FARM LAND for rent close in. G. A. Hubbell. 6-4-47

BELTIC TANKS and grease traps cleaned and repaired. Bob Doythel, Phone 3872 after 6 P. M., Pahokee, Fla. 11-1-47

TRAILERS—New and reconditioned. Parts for all makes. U. S. Highway No. 1, Arthur Trailer Sales, Riviera Beach, Phone 6274. 4-16-47

FOR SALE—Airplane engines No. 56 and 43 hp, Continental 600 cc, three engine planes, also \$100 to \$200. Myron Popan, Belle Glade Air Port, phone 234. 12-31-47

FOR RENT—Six room unfurnished house in Chosen. Available around Jan. 1. Bath and hot water heater. Reasonable rent to right party. Children and well trained pets acceptable. Phone 623-R. 12-31-47

DR. WILLIAM J. BUCK

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In the first Commandeer of this Legion Post with its Commander did those things necessary, with flood and shelter, the immediate demands. Burying of the dead and continuing to live became a problem with all the outside world trying to help. Dr. Buck's first was added to—he was the first Chairman of the Community Red Cross Committee which received food, clothing and re-habilitated the Community. National recognition came to him for an outstanding job.

Doctor Buck was a member of the first Town Council.

Doctor Buck was first in effort to secure the paving from curb to curb of Main Street, instead of the twelve foot strip planned.

In the early Thirties, and in the absence of organized Sunday Schools in the Community, Dr. Buck organized the First Community Sunday School and was its President. Outstanding laymen and churchmen were brought to the Glades each Sunday morning and a hundred in attendance was not unusual in the picture-show auditorium. This community organization organized congregations provided meeting places.

When Rotary was offered to Belle Glade, Dr. Buck was one of the organizers and its first President, and has continued actively in that Club.

Dr. Buck has continued to be first in the minds of proponents of community projects. A thing which Dr. Buck received much satisfaction, he believes, is the fact that those in need, medical or worldly, white or black, rich or poor, with regard to his bedtime or meal time, or rest time, called on the phone or went to his home and said, "Doc I need you". No one was ever turned down, though delinquent charges of years standing might blaze in the memory of the applicant. Doc kept very few books, and only in recent years has his nurse or office assisted him in his permission to send out bills.

Colonel Buck, Medical Corps U. S. Army, commanded a 2,000 bed hospital in France and was commended by General Pershing personally following an official and formal inspection for professional and administrative excellence. General Pershing's commendations were always prized because they were never lightly given. This experience followed service in the Medical Corps on the border or previous to World War I.

Dr. Buck was the current Chief of Staff of the Belle Glade Hospital. He had served in the same capacity with the Pahokee Hospital.

In Legion circles, Dr. Buck served as District Commander for the area Vero Beach-Key West and as Chairman of several State Committees.

The Glades is most favorably known through-out statewide Medical, Rotary and Legion circles as the home of Doctor William J. Buck.

A Shriner, an Elk, a Rotarian, a Legionnaire, a Country

Doctor, A Red Cross Leader and Friend of Man—William J. Buck, an Iowan by birth, a Floridian by desire, leaves behind legions who mourn his passing and consign his future in faith to A. Benovolent and Considerate Power who never fails to reward.

Graveside services were conducted in the Methodist Church by Father A. J. Lively of Pahokee, and the Military service was conducted at the church by Chaplain A. J. Lively, U. S. A. reserves.

Graveside services were jointly conducted by Father Lively and Chaplain J. C. Pridham of the West Palm Beach Legion Post, with the Guard of Honor of the Belle Glade Post rendering salutes and firing.

Mrs. Dorothy Ingram, organist and Dr. Thomas Force, vocalist rendered Tenyson's "Crossing the Bar" and Mrs. Ingram furnished appropriate music for the services.

All Past Commanders of the local Post participated in the Services except W. L. Cunningham who is in a hospital in Tampa. Lawrence Will and N. B. Whittle, past commanders were color bearers. The remaining ten past commanders were honorary pall bearers.

Honorary pall bearers were Dr. Friedheim, W. C. Allen, B. Y. Creech, Arthur Wells, George C. Farnell, Tom Bregger, Luther Jones, H. E. Jones, Frank Morris and Ralph Freeman.

Active pall bearers were Commander Wm. Young, John Hooker, Emmett Roberts, Randall Dickinson, W. A. Wooten, and J. T. Harris.

Surviving Dr. Buck is the widow Sue Florence Buck, daughter Mary Parrish of Gainesville and son Sergeant William C. Buck, U. S. Army.

The Methodist church was filled to overflowing with participants in the services. Members of the medical profession, the hospital staff, and friends.

Floral pieces were banked around the restrum and lined the walls around the church; they were of many special designs made of practically every flower growing in garden or under glass at this time of year.

Among the many paying tribute at the graveside alone were Dr. Chancellors Vero Beach who served with Dr. Buck on the border and in France.

The following are the Car-loadings for week ending January 19, 1949

North End South End
Wk Sea Wk Sea

January 19, 1949:
Beggs 0 377 0 532
Cibola 53 121 57 238
Chihili 0 0 0 2
Chichory 4 8 8 1
Corn 0 0 0 1
Cabbage 6 7 55
Exercice 0 11 20 69
Mixed Vegts. 2 38 29 113
Potatoes 0 12 13 26
Radishes 0 0 10 17
Romaine 0 0 0 1
Total 64 573 136 1059

Bill Brown Aboard Ship in Panama
William D. Brown, better known to his South Bay and Belle Glade friends as Bill is now stationed in the Panama Canal Zone. He left school here in his junior year, joining the Navy in Maryland, in September, and received his training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Base.

DIAL PHONES
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service during storms cables and in the country have been put underground.

There are 18 two-way speech cables between Pahokee and Belle Glade and the cables for West Palm Beach have been increased.

The system will be switched over at midnight Saturday with Mayor Julius Harris calling Chamber President Henry O. Eardward, and the city.

Miss Lorella Thomas, chosen by her fellow students at the High School will pull the switch for the change over.

If you have scope service you will dial 8 and then dial your number in Pahokee; for long distance or repair service 0 will be dialed.

Presently Belle Glade has 986 phones and Pahokee-Canal Point has 684.

Manager Jackson for the Lake area is thoroughly familiar with conditions and the progress of his company's service here as he was in the area in the early twenties when the first cables were installed.

How many communities in U. S. can boast of an increase of 35 times in phone installation in 15 years?

ACTION URGED
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The three counties for engineering work as an indication of our willingness to participate.

Emphasis on an "All-Florida" approach to the problem was made by John Ballinger.

It was agreed that the 1-2-2 months from now till the legal date would be about for the amount of work necessary, and that every one would grant, grant and push.

Assistant as "hockey boys" was played by the Committee and added to the Citizens Committee and the newly installed EUD Board.

Johnny Beauchamp is chairman of the committee to provide a method of securing the money, and B. Elliott is a member of the executive committee of the Citizens Committee appointed jointly by the retiring and incumbent governors.

Pahokee Hospital
Belle Glade
Above Par Value

The City Commission of Pahokee last week received bids for the \$160,000 of hospital bonds, which were sold to Sullivan, Nelson and Goss, and the Emerson Cook company, of West Palm Beach, at a bid of 1.01 and four percent interest.

As an Architect Manly King of West Palm Beach completes plans for the hospital, the Commission, will ask for

bids on construction and equipment. The site selected for the new hospital will be located a mile out of the city center on the Canal Point road.

Items of Interest
From City Departments

City Park Commissioner and Mayor Julius Harris announces that three recreational slides have been purchased for the entertainment of the youth at Paradise park; and that contractors have been let for shelter house and shuttle board courts.

The new dial phone number for the City Department will be No. 400. Business in police court is on the upward trend, and fine and forfeitures are around \$5400 over the same period of the previous year.

Approximately 40 dogs have been impounded; 13 were returned, and 27 disposed of in the gas chamber; 15 more are in the pound at present that will be advertised for sale. Your Building Inspector wants all commercial building and rooming house operators to pay particular attention to electrical wiring, as there was a fire last week caused directly by improper wiring. Building Permits for the week are as follows:

Rader Properties, Maintenance and Repairs, \$2,000.00; Bryant McClelland, \$800.00; and Standard Oil Company of Kentucky, Filling Station, \$22,000.00. There were 3 plumbing Permits covering 23 fixtures and 3 Electrical Permits issued also.

COMMITTEE ASKS
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privately and has determined the attitude and policies of Mr. Fiedler and of the Board, and WHEREAS it is the unanimous opinion of the Board that the Federal Maternal and Child Health Program should be and will be retained at The Belle Glade Hospital with certain practical changes in the operating contract—That time sought or desired at any time the discontinuance of said program—and

WHEREAS Mr. Fiedler assumed responsibility for the operation of the Belle Glade Hospital in June, 1948, with the total county appropriation for the entire 12 months already expended, accomplishing the difficult task of completing the year's operation without further tax aid, and

WHEREAS the Belle Glade Hospital is operating currently with a full and adequate staff of nurses and helpers, is adequately stocked with drugs and equipment to meet any anticipated demand and is restocking linens out of funds now available from the county appropriation for 1949, and

WHEREAS a vital phase of general welfare of this community depends upon the efficient operation of the Belle Glade Hospital and upon understanding cooperation from the citizens of this community.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that Hospital Superintendent Ernest H. Fiedler and the members of the Belle Glade

Hospital Board, well known to all of you, be heartily commended by this committee for performing conscientiously and well and at little recompense the duties assigned them. Be it further resolved by this committee that the citizens of this community, the Churches and the Civic Clubs, are urged to seek closer and more helpful relations with The Hospital, and specifically to organize visiting, educational and other programs designed to aid and promote the vital work of this institution in the Glades community.

MRS. I. L. PRICE, Women's Club
MRS. AUDREY JONES, B. F. W. C.
JAMES BALL, Elks Club
BILL RHODES, Lions Club
TOM WATSON, Jr., Rotary Club

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One 1942 Ford COE 158" CCC 2 speed axle, 900-20 tires	\$845.00
One 1941 Ford 158" Stake 2 speed axle, 825-20	\$790.00
One 1942 K-5 International with high cattle body, 825-20 tires	\$995.00
One 1947 Studebaker with 3 yd. dump body	\$695.00
One 1942 Russian Jeep with 6 new 825-2 tires, new motor and new front end with 3 1-2 yd. dump body	\$996.00

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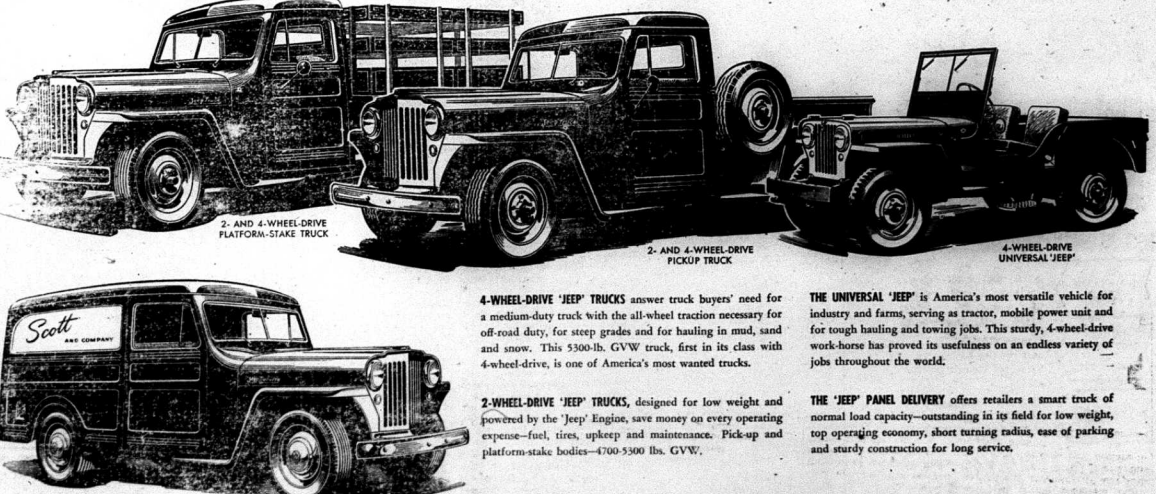
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PHONE 128

Navy Day Memorial in the Pacific



Officers and men of an American submarine stand solemnly on the bridge of the coming tower as a chaplain casts a memorial wreath upon the waters of the Pacific at the conclusion of a Navy Day memorial ceremony for the men who lost their lives at sea during World War II. The submarine then proceeded further out to sea where the flowers shown packing her forward deck were strewn upon the ocean.

Pioneer Chosen For Burial At Port Mayaca

Malcolm Gibbs, Sr., who was born in Alamo, Montgomery county, Ga., 77 years ago, and for some months has been ill with cancer, died in Miami, on Monday, and graveside funeral services were held at the Port Mayaca cemetery, Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. E. Enlow of the Belle Glade Baptist Church.

Mr. Gibbs came to the Everglades in 1931 and was engaged in farming and owned a small place near the city rock pit at Chosen, where he had resided for many years.

Seeking Writer of Threatening Note To Local Grocerman

Who wrote a sassy and threatening note to Vance Broome, a local grocerman, because he would not sell groceries on credit, is the question which Judge Johnson is trying to establish, in a case which Willie Mae Smith, colored, is named as defendant.

Broome claims that the Smith women, using an aged darkey by the name of Tom Allen, as messenger, sent him down to get an order of groceries, and after he had refused to comply, that "Uncle Tom" returned back to the woman, that she sent him back the note.

Tom says the woman wrote and gave him the note, altho he did not see her write it, Willie Mae strongly denies writing anything on the note claiming that she can't write, so did not pen the vitriolic message. She must sustain her claim in court on this Friday night.

James Williams and E. Beekle, colored, overlooked the fact that intoxicating liquors is taboo on Sunday from 8 to 2 o'clock, so handed out a thirsty patron a pint of gin and took pay for it. For this offense they paid a toll in the fine and forfeiture fund of \$10.00.

Joe Shannon on a quarrel with R. Williams, stuck a knife between the latter's ribs inflicting a bad wound. Shannon left a \$10.00 fine with the clerk of the court, and is also to pay Williams hospital bill.

Fireman Operate Police Radio System

The police radio system and

service is now in the operation of Cecil Blair, Carl Williams and Chas. Kapp, city firemen, who are doing a good job of the duties. Bob Blair now spending considerable time on other department work on the outside, and finding plenty of changes for safety measures to be made.

Picks up a Mammoth Turtle While driving in from Six Mile bend, Tuesday, "Slim" DeLone found a mammoth turtle basking in the sun along the highway. He picked up the reptile and brought it to town and when weighed, it scaled the beam at 35 pounds.

Authorities Make Rule Changes for Playing High School Football

Five major football rule changes were adopted in the final session of the Football Committee of the National Federation of High School associations.

They were: 1—During a backward pass or fumble there will be no automatic loss of the ball if a foul is called.

2—If an ineligible receiver catches a pass behind or in the line of scrimmage there will be a five yard penalty. If he is hit by the ball but does not catch it there is no penalty. Previously, there was a 15 yard penalty for such a situation.

3—A kickoff going out of bounds no longer will be recalled. Instead the ball will be awarded the defending team (A) where it goes out of bounds or (B) 10 yards behind the restraining line, whichever is more advantageous. In most cases this would give the defending team the ball on its own 40 yard line.

4—On a running play, the distance gained will be permitted prior to the calling of a foul. The penalty would be measured from where the ball is at the dead.

5—If a foul is committed during a kick, the penalty normally will be measured from the point where the return kick was made, not from the point of the original kick.

CHAMBER BANQUET (Continued from page 1)

Tom Watson proved himself no slouch in the position of MC and he told several of his favorite stories, and handed some of the latter handed wallops to some of the guests.

Whenever Phil O'Connell faces an assembly such as was present at the C of C party they can expect something rich and racy, as well as items good for solemn thought. Phil was in prime condition and for some 15 minutes he kept all in a round of hilarity with his stories and other tomfoolery.

The subject of the main portion of his talk was "Americanism," in which he depicted fact and figures which was right and what he showed that while the United States had some faults, its over all condition was heading the entire galaxy of nations, respected every where.

The speaker stated that our nation at the present was faced with four fears; namely: Poverty, Social Profit taxes which would stultify private enterprise; material allotment and control over free and competitive markets; and the effect of proposed new labor laws legislation. He was of the opinion that all of these affairs would be satisfactory settled to the benefit of the nation.

On the improvement side he

cited the advance in real estate projects, the leveling off in stocks, the increase in wages and the lowering of living costs, so that one's income dollar would be more valuable in the purchasing marts.

He asserted from statistics that the States had 25 million married couples, that one-half of the children were born to women under 23 years of age and that 95 percent of the children born live to work.

That in the financial line there were far less business failures; that 49 percent of the farms were personally owned, that people owned more homes than ever, and that the population had advanced 22.7 percent till we now had 140,000,000 enumeration.

He cited that every successful community must have good homes, good business houses, good church and schools, and a working understanding, and spirit to progress.

The program closed by a short address by President Earwood in which he set out the purpose of the local Chamber of Commerce for 1949. A goal of 400 paid membership is one objective. The Chamber budget for the year will be \$5000; though 10,000 should be at hand to carry out all objectives. That the board could be operated only with the united support of the community, and he urged membership to be taken out by all who had the city's advancement at heart.

Highlands Game Warden Kills Farmer over Game Violation Charge

Game Warden W. P. Cooper, of Sebring, on Sunday gave himself up to law officers, stating that he had shot and killed Ralph Ford; prominent citizen of Arcadia, but beyond that statement gave no further particulars.

Cooper had filed a game violation against Ford in the Glades county courts which was soon to have been tried. The bitterness between the two men grew out of this episode.

Cooper's case will be presented to the Highlands county grand jury for investigation and finding.

Assembly of God Tent Meetings To be Resumed

Rev. Paul Baughman, who has charge of the local activities of the Assembly of God, has now staked his tent on the Toomerville road, where regular congregational services will be resumed on the coming Sunday. Services will be held Sunday evenings at 7:30, and Wednesday and Friday evening at 7:30 P.M.

Caldwell Becomes New Bank President

Attorney Millard Caldwell, who retired from the Governorship of Florida, is to retain his business activities in Tallahassee. Announcement has been made that he is to be the president of the new Tallahassee State Bank, which will open for business later in the summer, with a capital stock of \$250,000.

Owen Godwin is Operating Cafe in Kissimmee

Owen Godwin who made his residence in Belle Glade for near three years, and now is located at Kissimmee is operating a leading lunch stand in that city, with Mrs. Godwin in charge. Godwin is still working

on his new trailer camp and museum which he is building north of Kissimmee which will be ready for use by next falls tourist season.

John Luther Roach Mattress Maker Dies After Long Illness

Mr. John Luther Roach of Belle Glade, passed away Saturday night, at the age of 69. He had been in failing health for the past several months.

Mr. Roach came to Belle Glade ten years ago from Metter, Georgia. During his life he had been a mattress maker but had done only a nominal amount of such work here due to his health.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. J. L. Roach; two daughters, Mrs. Lovie Cole, Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Elsie Carey, Royston, Ga.; two sons, Lloyd Roach of Belle Glade and Quinton Roach, Baltimore, Md.; and two sisters, Mrs. Dallas Bell, and Mrs. Elmer Philips of Royston, Ga.

The Berry Funeral Home had charge of the funeral and burial services.

Farm Machinery Theft

Perpetrators Arrested

Deputy Sheriff Frank O'Connell and Gibbs Cross working on a farm equipment theft case, on last Friday, picked up the men they wanted for the pilfering, in Rudolph Williams of Miami and Bernal Rogers.

The equipment in question was stolen from the E. B. Elliott Ramie farm and disposed of in Miami, where a portion of it was recovered in a sales yard there. Williams was picked up in Miami and both men, are now in the Palm Beach county jail awaiting trial on information filed against the men.

Important Sanitary Case Aired in Police Court Friday Night

One of the most important cases that has come up for hearing before Municipal Judge Jack O. Johnson, was conducted on Friday night police court session. Mrs. F. D. Rutledge, owner and manager of the Rutledge properties, had been summoned into court to show why she had not complied with notices to make sanitary and safety tenement repairs. When the case was called the defendant was not in court, so Judge Johnson declared her in contempt of court, and directed Sanitary Policemen "Buddy" Willis to forthwith produce her in court, which he did after considerable search to locate her.

Willis, along with investigators from the Hotel, Commission and State Board of Health have been working on the fire prevention and sanitary conditions for months, and had compiled a long history in connection with the various properties, accompanied with a collection of pictures, showing unbelievable conditions in the tenements, and it was on this work, that the court complaints were filed.

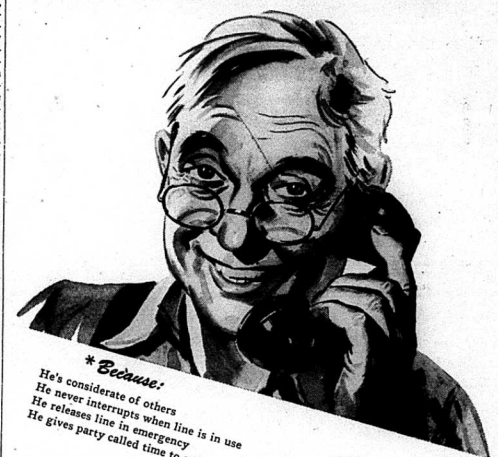
Inspector Willis informed the magistrate that while Mrs. Rutledge had started some small part of the work as ordered, she had not shown the proper spirit or inclination to install sanitary fixtures, repair buildings so that they would be fit for human habitation.

After an extensive hearing, Judge Johnson, informed the defendant in the case, that he would give her a week's time to have the repairs and installations in her property, as directed by the city and state board officers, or there would be immediate additional action taken against her. This was a preemptory order of the court.

The court gist of the evening presented a number of cases of assaults, cutting and carrying concealed weapons which brought out a half court room

of colored folk who came to the proceedings. Most of the offenders admitted their guilt, and drew substantial fines for their offenses.

Harry is a popular PARTY LINER*



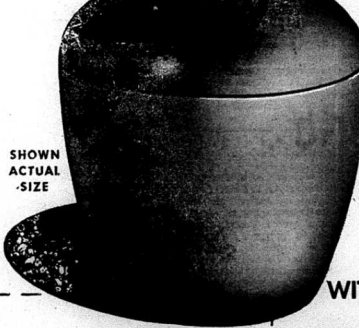
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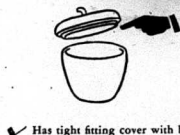


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SOUTH BAY BEAN CITY LAKE HARBOR

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boyd
have returned from a three
weeks visit among relatives at
Anniston, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Green
of Clearwater visited her mother,
Mrs. Laura Crow, brother,
Avin B. Crow, and sister, Mrs.
E. M. Willis and their families
Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall of Del-
aplaine, Arkansas are visiting
Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Fender, Mr.
and Mrs. Alfred Vassard, and
children to remain in Florida for
six weeks.

Miss Ruth Barstow, Senior
Student Nurse at State Univer-
sity of Iowa Hospital, Iowa City
arrived Tuesday for a month's
vacation at her home here.

Mrs. W. A. Tice has returned
from a month's visit among re-
latives at Brinson, Ga.

Mrs. Sylvia Goode and Rich-
ard Cather of Winchester, Va.,
were guests of Mrs. Mildred
Larriek at Lake Harbor Sun-
day. They are on a vacation
tour of Florida.

Tommy Mitchell of Sebring
was a recent guest of C. E. Crich-
field.

Mr. and Mrs. George A.
Thompson returned Friday with
Mark Challinor to visit their
daughters, Mrs. Mark Challinor
of South Bay and Mrs. Doug-
lass Mathews of Belle Glade,
and their families. A third
daughter, Mrs. Fred J. Bridges
and family of Fort Pierce were
the week end guests of the
Thompsons and the Challinors.

Robert S. Roadman has re-
turned to Bradenton bringing
his mother, Mrs. R. R. Roadman
Sr., to South Bay for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thames
and daughter Margaret attend-
ed the covered dish luncheon
get together of the Experiment
Station Staff at the Station
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Crich-
field of Sebring were the Sun-
day guests of their son and
daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.
C. E. Crichfield.

J. W. Barnes of Sonoma Park,
Maryland, are house guests of
Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Wright at
Maribor Ranch.

Mrs. J. A. Martin and daugh-
ter Pearlene of Florida, Ala.
are the house guests of her
son, O. H. Martin and family
visited Mrs. T. D. Dean in Belle
Glade the first of the week.

Mrs. Ruth Murphy, Mrs. Les-
lie Martin and Mrs. Olga Hardy
of the South Bay Schools at-
tended a meeting of teachers
in Belle Glade Saturday. Supt.
Howell Watkins of West Palm
Beach was the chief speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Augustine,
Mr. and Mrs. F. Augustine of
Orest, Iowa, were guests of
Mrs. G. J. Barstow and family
this week.

The South Bay Chamber of
Commerce will elect officers
for the year at their meeting
on Monday, Jan. 24.

Miss Virginia Larriek of Lake
Harbor left Monday evening
for Jacksonville where she will
take her final physical exam-
ination for enlistment into the
U. S. Navy as a WAVE. From
there she will go to New Orleans
to be outfitted and assigned
to duty.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hardy
and daughter Cherry have re-
turned from a four day visit
with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hardy
in Miami.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Martin
and children of Bryant were
week end house guests of Mr.
and Mrs. O. H. Martin and fam-
ily.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Eckman
have as their house guests her
sister, Miss Lucretia Sisley,
two nieces, Mrs. Arthur Staub,
Mrs. Wm. Taylor and son John-
nie to Charleroi, Pa., and Mrs.
Littman of Uniontown, Pa.,
mother of Mrs. Harriet Sisley.

South Bay to Soon Entertain County PTA Convention

The South Bay Parent Teach-
ers Association held a special
meeting Monday evening at the
school to make plans for the
purchase of a curtain for the
stage. It was agreed to pur-
chase a dark green velvet one
to harmonize with the walls.
A sum of money was also set
aside toward the purchase of
venetian blinds for the win-
dows in the auditorium.
Plans were also laid for the
entertainment of the Palm

Beach County Council of Par-
ents and Teachers which is to
meet here in February. Com-
mittees were appointed for ar-
ranging for and serving the
luncheon for the County Coun-
cil. A menu of typical ever-
glades products is planned.

Escaped Prisoner Driving Stolen Car Meets With Mis-haps

Allen R. Ranson, who was
in the Government prison at
Ft. Myers, some time late Sun-
day afternoon, made his escape,
stole an automobile, and head-
ed his way toward Miami, but
never reached his destination.
While driving down Route 27
near the Okelanta Sugar mill
driveaway, his car got out from
under his control, and crashed
over on the side of the highway
and was badly damaged. Ran-
son was thrown many feet from
the car on the canal side of
the road, and was there found
in a seriously injured and un-
conscious condition.

Ranson died at the hospital
on Tuesday morning. Record
shows that he was sent up
from this county for a house
robbery at Riviera Beach, to
serve two years penal service.
He has relatives in West Palm
Beach and Westgate. The type
of shoes he wore was the tip
by which officers found out
from the state road camp in
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Prison officials at Ft. Myers
were notified of Ranson's con-
dition and location here in the
hospital, and his disposition will
be made by local officers to
officers from that place.

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Florida Lions Will Send Three Bands For New Year Parade

The annual convention of the
Florida Lions Association will
be held in St. Petersburg, May
8-10, with headquarters at the
Princess Martha hotel. The
Belle Glade club will be enti-
tled to be represented by seven
voting members, and other mem-
bers who arrange to attend.

A District Governor council
session was held in Orlando,
Sunday, with Herman
Close, Junior Harris and "Trou-
ble" Huttan in attendance from
the Belle Glade club. Plans
were made at this session for
the Florida delegation attend-
ing the National Convention in
New York in June. Florida
to have a publicity program
and a produce display, along
with free citrus juices. It was
decided to raise funds for send-
ing the Leon High School, of
Tallahassee; Jackson High of
Miami; and the Sebring High
school bands to participate in
the annual Lions day parade.

At the meeting next week,
Induction ceremonies will be
conducted by Emmett Roberts,
district vice-president, for a
dozen or more new members.
W. P. Risk and daughter pre-
sented a colored film of pic-
tures taken in the flower fields
of the Ferry-Marsh Seed Com-
pany at Salinas, Cal., which
was most beautiful as well as
interesting.

Memorial for Dr. William J. Buck

The Belle Glade Rotary club
on last Friday, had Karl Latone,
of the Industrial Fair crops,
who is managing the fair for
the Resource Committee this
year, as its guest speaker, but
out of respect to the memory
of the late Dr. William J. Buck,
first president of the club, the
program and speech was post-
poned to a later date.
Rev. Leonard Vandewater
conducted a short memorial by
recited poems "Life" and "A
Binding Love" and closed with
a beautiful prayer.

Rams Handled Defeat By Boynton, Beach

The Belle Glade Golden Ram
quint was given quite a shock
at the high school gym, Tues-
day night, when it found the
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and it paid off for them. The
Bears were not able to back-
up the floor work of the vis-
itors who had a good passing
combination. Lake Worth trim-
med Ft. Pierce 47 to 38 on their
own court, Tuesday night.

Burial Made at Venus

Funeral services were held
at the Venus cemetery on Sun-
day, for Neal Hendry, the 17
year old lad, who met his death
in a auto accident on the West
Palm Beach road, when his
motor vehicle ran into the rear
of a parked Wedgworth truck
near avenue E. The coroner's
jury in Judge Williams court
which investigated the accident
and death, reported it an un-
avoidable accident.

Local School Teacher Sustains Injuries In Auto Collision

Miss Nettie McGeehe, a mem-
ber of the Belle Glade ele-
mentary school staff, was in-
jured in a auto collision in West
Palm Beach, Saturday, when
Oscar Roberts, negro, ran into
the car in which Miss McGeehe
was riding, and was arrested on
a drunk and driving charge.
Miss McGeehe was taken to
the Good Samaritan hospital,
where it was found that she

had sustained a fracture of the
upper left arm, lacerations and
abrasions of the left ankle and
multitude bruises about the
body.

New Lions Club Is Organized at Lantana

A new Lions Club has been
This list will be open until the
formed at Lantana with a char-
ter membership of 16.
charter presentation occasion.

Walter B. Currie and Dr.
Hicks were responsible for the
formation of the new club,
which is the first civic club to
be formed in the town. L. Ir-
ving Schaefer is the new pre-
sident and W. W. Easton, Sec-
retary-treasurer.

It will be attached to the
South district, of which Dr.
Hicks, of Lake Worth, is the
president.

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Tuesday, Feb. 1—Auto Race day, Collier County Day.

Wednesday, Feb. 2—Wildlife Convention day, Hillsborough County day, and Fish and Game day.

Thursday, Feb. 3—Auto thrills show day, Pasco County day, and Live Stock day.

Friday, Feb. 4—Children's day, Highlands County day.

Saturday, Feb. 5—Auto races day, Phillips County day, America day, Gadsden County day, Electrical Exposition day.

Sunday, Feb. 7—Gasparilla day, Polk County day, Marion County day.

Tuesday, Feb. 8—Governor's day, American Legion day, Marion County day, Indian River County day.

He wrote: "The basic welfare laws were, of course, federal laws, and more than half of the funding for the programs was provided by the Federal Government. Representatives of the federal social security agencies helped to prepare most of the existing laws and are still subject to them. Where the federal law is inflexible, the state laws that have been enacted are perfunctory. Indeed, most of them are perfect examples of the effects of bureaucracy on the loose. Yet where the federal law leaves latitude, the social welfare programs are actually administered."

"I submit that the aim of the welfare programs is to aid the recipients with as little red tape as possible, while at the same time the maximum of the taxpayers' dollars going to the people for whom

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